

House Resolution No. 3192

Whereas, as the 2007-2008 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Lathrop R-II School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on June 30, 2008, with the retirement of Mary Kathleen Mydland who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Mary Mydland has taught for twenty-one years at Lathrop R-II, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Mary Mydland taught home economics in the Lawson R-XIV School District for six years prior to assuming her responsibilities at Lathrop R-II; and

Whereas, Mary Mydland has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, Mary Mydland has supported her profession as a member of the PEO, the Parent Teacher Organization Executive Board, and the Professional Development Committee, of which she is Chair; and

Whereas, a member of Lathrop United Methodist Church, Mary Mydland has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Lary L. Mydland; two sons and their wives, Ryan A. and Shannin L. Mydland and Brent L. and Kimberly A. Mydland; and two grandsons, Montgomery A. and Rawley M. Mydland:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Lathrop R-II School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Mary Mydland has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mary Mydland, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative James O. Guest
District No. 5

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3192, adopted May 20, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker